



California Water Plan Update 2013 Flood Caucus GROUP CHARTER

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Group Charge:

The California Water Plan (CWP) Flood Caucus is a statewide topic-based workgroup designed to support development of *CWP Update 2013* through in-depth discussions and deliberations of flood topics and issues. The Flood Caucus will identify and expand information associated with integrated flood management on a statewide and regional needs, opportunities and challenges for in California.

The Flood Caucus will work closely with Statewide Flood Management Planning Program (SFMP) team to develop a set of integrate flood management recommendations and roadmap for *CWP Update 2013* **consistent with *the FloodSAFE program***. Building on *CWP Update 2009*, the Flood Caucus will provide informational updates to, and receive input from, the State Agency Steering Committee, technical project teams, Public and Tribal Advisory Committees, Federal Agency Network, and Regional Forums.

Parameters:

- The caucus will build on Update 2009's Objective to integrate flood into the CWP.
- The caucus will be closely coordinated with existing Flood initiatives including SFMP, Central Valley Flood Management Planning ~~(CVFMP)~~ Program (CVFPP) and FloodSAFE.
- Project deliverables for *CWP Update 2013* will be based on the best existing and available data, information, and analyses from Federal, Tribal, State, regional and local public and private efforts and planning activities.

Activities:

Content for integrated flood management portion of *CWP Update 2013* is being provided by Flood Caucus members, Public and Tribal Advisory Committees, the State Agency Steering Committee, Federal Agency Network, Regional Forum participants, and IRWM Regional Water Management Groups. The table below outlines the scope of the Flood Caucus deliverables and the Caucus team focus. The Flood Caucus provides input to the

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integrate flood management content, reviews approach, and makes policy recommendations for discussion by the other Water Plan venues.

Scope:

Deliverables	Caucus Focus	
1. Prepare Flood Resource Management Strategy. (Vol. 3 Chapter 27)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provide input and draft text as appropriate on integrated flood management.• Identify opportunities for cross cutting <u>with other</u> RMS.	Formatted: Indent: Left: 0.25", No bullets or numbering
2. Prepare flood portion of the Regional Report. (Vol. 2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provide input and draft text as appropriate on <u>i</u>ntegrated <u>f</u>lood <u>m</u>anagement.• Identify opportunities for <u>i</u>ntegrated <u>f</u>lood <u>m</u>anagement in Regional Report.	Formatted: Indent: Left: 0.04" Formatted: Font: Font color: Black Formatted: Indent: Left: 0.29", No bullets or numbering
3. Prepare Integrated Flood Management portion of the Strategic Vision. (Vol. 1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provide input and draft text as appropriate on <u>i</u>ntegrated <u>f</u>lood <u>m</u>anagement.• Identify opportunities Integrated Flood Management	Formatted: Indent: Left: 0.25", No bullets or numbering
4. Review & Comment Draft Flood Future Report	• Review and provide comments to report.	
5-4. <u>Review & Comment on Draft Flood Future Report</u> Review & Comment on Final Flood Future Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Review and provide comments to report.</u> Review and provide comments to report. <u>Review and provide comments to report.</u>	Formatted: Widow/Orphan control Formatted: Indent: Left: 0.25", Widow/Orphan control, Adjust space between Latin and Asian text, Adjust space between Asian text and numbers Formatted: Font: 13 pt, Font color: Black

Schedule:

- ◆ ~~Develop~~ Draft Caucus Charter and Work Plan:

 October ~~19~~, 2011

- ◆ Convene Flood Caucus:

October ~~26~~, 2011

- ◆ Draft RMS

Winter ~~Fall~~ 201~~2~~1

- ◆ Convene Flood Caucus:

Winter ~~February~~, 2012

2012

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- ◆ Review and Comment on Draft *Flood Future Report* : Winter 2012
- ◆ Draft Regional Reports Winter 2012
- ◆ Draft Flood section of Strategic Vision Spring 2012
- ◆ ~~Review and Comment on Draft *Flood Future Report* :~~ ~~April 2012~~
- ◆ ~~Convene Flood Caucus:~~ SpringMay 2012
- ◆ ~~Review draft Final *Flood Future Report*:~~ Summer 2014
(will caucus still continue after Update 2013?)

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